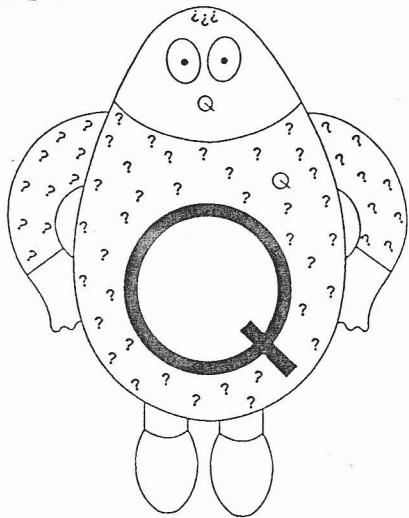


**Family  
Letter**  
**Q**

Dear Family,

Can you guess who I am? My letter and my question marks give a clue: I'm Mr. Q, and my head is filled with quiet questions. Until I visited your child's class, I was too shy to ask my quiet questions. I was afraid someone would laugh at me! But the children persuaded me that it's good to ask questions. If you don't ask questions, you'll never find out the answers.



- ✓ Encourage your child to ask questions—even if they're not always quiet! Asking questions is a great way to learn. And instead of telling your child the answer to every question, help him or her discover the answers. The library is a great place to help your child find answers to questions!
- ✓ Some of your child's questions, though, only you can answer. Make sure your child feels free to ask questions about things that may be troubling her or him. Then answer those questions the best you can.

One good thing about my quiet questions is that they help everyone to remember my sound.

- ✓ When your child sees a quarter, or a quart of milk, or a quilt, or a picture of a queen, ask him or her to Prove the word: quiet questions queen.
- ✓ In words that start with my letter Q/q, LetterLight U's letter U/u always comes next. LetterLight U is a special friend to me, and she helps me make my sound. Encourage your child to watch for Q/q and U/u together.

Sincerely,

**Mr. Q**